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PROJECT STAR GATE

Responses to SSCI Questions

Questions 15 a & b:

- (S) "Is this research and development project cost effective"?
 - (S) "What are the performance criteria for STAR GATE"?

Answer:

(S/NF/SG/LIMDIS) In response to a January 1994 Congressionally Directed Action (CDA), Defense Authorization Classified Annex Joint Explanatory Statement, Enclosure 13, the Defense Intelligence Agency has prepared a draft multi-year research and peer review plan to focus on these issues. Specifically, the draft plan addresses the issue as to whether Project STAR GATE can show results that are both cost-effective and can also satisfy reasonable performance criteria. regard, the Defense Intelligence Agency will convene a Scientific Advisory Group consisting of chief scientists from the Services and from DDR&E to validate the program's research and development objectives and make recommendations as to which objectives should be pursued and the program scope required to achieve those objectives. If the Scientific Advisory Group determines objectives in the plan are viable and executable, the General Defense Intelligence Program Manage will compete this initiative with others for limited available resources remaining in the program.

Ouestion 15 c:

(S) What examples of STAR GATE can be cited as contributing to the intelligence functional areas of collection and production?

Answer:

(S) During FY93 Project STAR GATE contributed to the intelligence functional areas of collection and production in the following areas:

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	(S/NF/WN/SG/LIMDIS) Operations. Providing data to
SG1H	Joint Task Force-4, and to DIA's J2 and the National Military
00111	Intelligence Center's analytical elements. Issues covered
	included the location and description of ships for drug
	interdiction purposes;
SG1H	
	In-house training proficiency
	projects were also conducted to enhance operational capabilities.
	For FY94 and in addition to the foregoing, on-going joint
SG1H	activities program have been established with JTF-4 SG1
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	Plans are underway to develop working relationships with other
	Agencies.
SG1B	(S/NF/WN/SG/LIMDIS) Research and Development. Produced
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SG1B	and reported on the work done by the contractor in
	research which provided data on significant experimental results
	that could be considered of a breakthrough nature. Experiments
	were in the areas of entropy which demonstrated a significant
	degree of correlation between anomalous cognition (AC) and
	dynamic changes in a target's entropy. The value added is that
	it should provide an objective method for assessing the AC skills
& OKRATIONA	of viewed. In the experiment on remote observation, it was
ASRSOUN	demonstrated that changes in the electrical properties of a
, 0	person's skin could be effected according to the intent of the
	isolated operator. The value added is that anomalous mental
	phenomena (AMP) could be used to remotely influence biological
	systems. As a result of the experiment regarding alpha
	desynchronization it may be possible to train in a manner
	similar to biofeedback. OPERATIONAL PERSONNEC
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Question 15 d:

(S/NF/SG/LIMDIS) Without fiscal constraints would GDIP fund STAR GATE in FY95? At what level?

Answer:

(S/NF/SG/LIMDIS) Part A: Without fiscal constraints, the Defense Intelligence Agency would fund Project STAR GATE in FY95.

(S/NF/SG/LIMDIS) Part B: Without fiscal constraints Project STAR GATE would be funded at \$1.3 million per fiscal year.

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